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RESPONSE TO THE JULY 17, 2003, OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

This paper is filed as a response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2003, which set a three month shortened statutory period of response extending to and including October 17, 2003.

While no fee is believed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to credit and debit Kenyon & Kenyon Deposit Account No. 11-0600 for any fees associated with this filing.

Prior to further examination, please make the following modifications to the application.